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02

Prologue Warning/Scarlet Blue

警鐘プロローグ／緋色のブルー

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♪ ... Prologue Warning

Ah!

A string broke.

Seri-ously?

Which string?

The fourth.

Wow, really?

I don't have any spares.

Well, we were ten minutes from being done anyway. Let's stop here for today?

Yeah.

Even though I've been taking care of it and tuning it...

xSSK

Isn't that something you should be doing daily?

Makoto, you're the kind of person that makes girls cry~

That's no-...

Ah!

realization

A1studi

That's right, I accidentally made her angry. And she cried too...

I'm sleepy.

yawn

Did you take the mic with you?

Yes.

One of my guitar strings broke!

Ah, really?

That's funny

Oh, you guys are early today.

Studio employee (part-time) Mutou-san

Anyway, don't buy strings here. They're expensive.

Buy online, online!

Should you really be saying that here, Mutou-san?

What, really?

I only have D'Addarios at the moment.

Do you have any Earnie strings?

I heard that you were recording a new song.

How's it going?

Shiba-san!

Booking Agent Shiba-san.

Oh, isn't that Francia?

twitch

Oh!

What a dog...

Passed the Buck <-

It's going alllll fine!!

I really hope you'll listen to it!!

twinkle

Please don't make it worse

Shut up...

Ah, Mutou-san, I'm coming to practice alone tomorrow. Can I leave my pedalboard here?

I'll put it in the storage room.

Of course!

It's amazing, we're gonna rock the hell out of the studio!

Oh dear...

Oh, well then,

can you do your new song at the next live gig?

Yessss!

so please invite a lot of people ♡

HOLIDA
OCK
NiGH
START 18:30
@Do

I'll give you a bunch,

We printed some tickets,

rustle

Let me give you these.

Oh, this is perfect.

By the way ...

Thanks.

Oh, well.

Oh, Mutou-san is playing too.

It's a joint gig!

Yes ma'am...

Completely forgot

so please take care of that♡

There's more than usual to get done before the holiday concert,

Also, if you don't call enough people, I'll make sure to take it out of your commision♡

I see.

See you

I'm going to pass by the music shop.

Oh, Makoto, you're not going home?

Clearance sale special price!

Icepack

¥398

Right, Makino-san is taking the local train.

Today only, get three times the usual amount of membership points! Please visit our shop for this special occasion ...

Clear-ance sale!

1 発車案内 Departure

21:06 Local Sasa

21:09 Express Hashi

21:19 Rapid Takao

I'm taking the next express ...

... but the local will arrive first.

Yes.

I'll take it.

Just tell me if you don't need it.

Are you going to take this or not?

...

Eh?

What?

...I'm sorry about earlier.

Some tur-meric and an ice pack...?

rustle

(Coming back from the bathroom)

Oh! You've finished the accounting already?

Thank you~

It's late!

What?

Hey, wait a second!

Just go already!

Wallet, wallet!

How much was it?

rattle

You're stubborn.

Erm. Money...

5000

I'll pass by a convenience store.

Makino-sa...

...If you kiss me, I'll forgive you.

The train approaching platform one is a local service for Sasazuka.

clank

clack

clack-clanck

The train is now arriv-ing.

clack clanck...

What did I just say...

haha

It was a joke ...

Scary.

GLARE

WHAT?

*rumble

For your safety, please stand behind the yellow line.

clack clanck...

Please allow passengers to exit the train before boarding.

Pshhh

The doors are now opening.

Platform one, doors are now closing.

Please do not rush onto the train.

pshhh

Stand clear of the closing doors.

clack

clanck

I forgot to thank her.

Ah ...

*clack-clanck

...
Her lips were soft.

SUPER SLINKY
CUSTOM GAUGE
NICKEL WOUND
GUITAR STRINGS

She had an amazing scent ...

There was something else too.

Oh, Makino-san! What a coincidence. Are you done with work for today?

...
Yeah.

Gah

Wow, it looks like she hates me.

She's too easy to read.

I was about to go home too.

Oh, good work.

Thanks.

Makino-san, what shampoo do you use...?

You ...

Maybe it's her hair?

She really does smell nice.

fragrance

We use the same train station, so let's go home together.

smile

She's completely on guard.

...

stare

How long are you going to follow me?

As you wish.

19:20 Express
19:26 Local
Please turn off your mobile phone near priority seats

Ah, the express train is arriving first this time.

What's wrong?

Noth-ing.

turn

...

She looks like the scruffy neighborhood cat around here. Not cute...

If I told her that, she'd get mad...

Makino-san...

...Why?

Oh, that's right!

Makino-san, are you free on the twelfth?

...I'm not going.

I'm performing at a live concert on that day.

Oh? Where did I put the tickets?

Then please come!

You don't have to dress up.

We'll be playing a new song and the band accompanying us is quite hot too!

What if you invited one of the part-time girls?

Well, I...

No, that's not it.

Oh, you don't like music?

*horn

Platform one, the express service for Hashimoto is approaching.

This is a ten-car train, so please...

Ah!

I want you to come to that concert.

swift shove

The train is now departing.

Stand clear of the closing doors.

*shake

Wai-
...

pshhh

clack clack...

rustle

Avoiding eye contact with someone ...

clack clanck...

HOLIDAY LOCK NIGHT!!

It's the first time I've felt like this.

This sucks...

♪ ... Scarlet Blue

She's really nice to part-time workers too

Yeah, she's really well-respected ...

Her husband is an actor, right? I'm so envious~

crowd

chatter

She was on TV once

Oh, the president is here today.

She's really cute.

How are you?

What is it?

Akane!

*Snap

sleepy

*Yawn

...Are you ever going to stop giving me that stare every time we meet?

...

Wow

you shouldn't approach me.

You have the exact same reaction every time, it hurts.

... Then,

ウィーン
*vrrrrr
Makino-san...
*step
*step
*vrrrrr
smile

Hello.

Pre-

Presi-dent!?

Ah, yes.

I need those documents.

Thanks.

N-No...

ahaha

Did I startle you?

I'm sorry.

Okay.

Ayase-san, please take these to the ninth floor

Was that the President's office floor...?

?

Her celebrity aura is quite the thing...

twinkle

Kya!

You're cunning

Kya!

Ayyy, nice, Ayase-chan!

!?

Eh?

...Makino-san went to that floor too.

GLIMPSE

Are you into Akane?

...Well, that's cute in itself though.

Akane is a hard-to-please honor student, so you know.

!

*TWITCH

what kind of relationship do you have with Makino-san?

Pres-ident,

!

There's no-...

smile

What's the inten-tion behind that ques-tion?

twitch

!

First,

Akane is not the kind of girl who can have those feel-ings,

unlike you.

move

I don't have the kind of feelings to-ward her you're thinking of.

...

Ayase Makoto-kun.

Ciga-rettes aren't good for minors,

...
Watch out from now on.

She's a cutie.

chuckle

Funase Kaoru

32 years old
168 cm
52 kg
Blood type: B

Born: 09/06
President, Administrator of an apparel and furniture company.

Born in Tokyo, Haseda
Siblings: Sisters and brothers
Lives in a luxury residential area in Minato-ku, Tokyo with her actor husband. No children.

Acts courageously after cautious planning.
Appears on television occasionally.
Has hung around with Makino since middle school.

Thank you for reading!

In this book Makino-san and Makoto kissed, some new characters appeared, and an assassin (aka the President) appeared.
How was this second volume of the series?

I really enjoyed drawing this, Makino-san is cute if I may say so myself...

This is a digression, but when I was making the original copy, Clip Studio Paint kept crashing. It broke my heart. I'm glad that I managed to print this without any issue.

If you liked this book, let's meet again another time. That would make me very happy.

Nako.

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